Activity: Plate tectonics Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Enquiry standards:

1.8 Identify, and make critical use of, secondary information

2.1 Understand the historical developments of the major scientific ideas

**Supporting information:**

This is a **book research** task.

**Alfred Wegener** is credited with the theory of plate tectonics.

Use the *Eyewitness* reference text *‘Earth’* to outline Wegener’s theory.

You should provide a **historical perspective and evidence** for the theory.